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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.322**

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**of Correction**

Sir:

In reviewing the above-identified patent, a printing error was discovered therein requiring correction in order to conform the Official Record in the application.

The error noted is set forth on the attached copy of form PTO-1050 Rev. 2-93 in the manner required by the Commissioner's Notice.

Specifically, in the Claims, Claim 12, formerly Claim 13, Column 14, line 45, change the "a" at the end of the line to - - the - -. The correct text can be found in the Examiner's Amendment of December 20, 2005.

The change requested herein occurred as a result of printing the Letters Patent and the Certificate should be issued without expense under Rule 322 of the Rules of Practice. Accordingly, Applicants request issuance of the Certificate of Correction.

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It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Column 14, line 45, change the "a" at the end of the line to - - the - -.

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